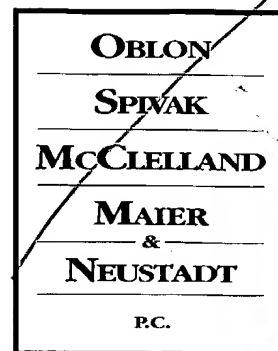


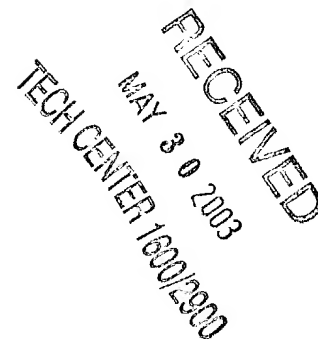


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RE: Application Serial No.: 09/987,885  
Applicants: Myriam MELLUL, et al.  
Filing Date: November 16, 2001  
For: ANHYDROUS AND WATER-RESISTANT  
COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS  
Group Art Unit: 1615  
Examiner: VENKAT



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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**AMENDMENT; REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME (one-month); REISSUE DECLARATIONS (2, executed)**

Our check in the amount of \$110.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Responsive to the Official Action dated January 24, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following remarks and attached Declarations.

REMARKS

Attached hereto are Reissue Declarations for this case. As the Examiner will note, one co-inventor signed one of the Declarations, and the three other co-inventors signed the other Declaration. Both Declarations list all co-inventors.

The Examiner is requested to confirm receipt of an IDS prior to the allowance of this

case. The IDS is to be filed a few days after the present paper.

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